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FILM AND METHODS OF MAKING SAME

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2003, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks for entry and consideration during the examination of the above-identified application.